



DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Office of the Chief Operating Officer

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Dear Parent or Guardian:

Last Spring you received a letter informing you that a water source at your child's school had elevated levels of lead. We are happy to let you know that we have resolved the issue. Currently, all drinking water sources at Stoddert Elementary School are below the Environmental Protection Agency's threshold and are available for student use.

[If you want to review test results or want to find out more information about our water sources](http://oca.dc.gov/lead), please go to <http://oca.dc.gov/lead>. Also, DC Water provides many services to District residents including free lead testing kits for your home. Check out this website to find out more: <https://www.dewater.com/lead/LetterToCustomers.cfm>.

The safety of your child is paramount to us, just as it is to you. If you are concerned about your child's health, we recommend you contact your pediatrician. If you have additional questions or need assistance locating a pediatrician, please contact Diana K. Bruce, Director of Health and Wellness at Diana.Bruce@dc.gov or (202) 442-5103.

Thank you for your continued support.

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